

## The Philosophers and the Frog

Dr. Safford, for many years professor of chemistry in the Medical College of the University of Nashville, used to tell his students a fable—the moral of which was “prove it.” Certain wise men were gathered together to ascertain the explanation of a statement that when two glasses of water of equal weight are balanced on the beams of a balance scale and a frog is then put in one of the vessels the balance remains the same, thus attempting to prove the assertion that a frog has no weight when immersed in water. Each wise man had his own explanation, and there was much heated argument and discussion. At length one of the wise men said: “But is your statement true? Let’s prove it.” Of course when it came to proving it, they could not.

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## NEW BAPTIST MINISTER ARRIVES AT COLORADO

Presbyterian Pastor Decides Not to Come to El Paso; Old Resident Dies; New Arrivals Numerous.

Colorado, Texas, Oct. 11.—Rev. Mr. Brown and family have arrived. Mr. Brown is the new pastor of the Baptist church here.

Mrs. Frank Smith, after a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis, left for her home in Garden City.

Mrs. R. E. and Abe Dolman have arrived from Paris, Texas, and will spend the winter here.

Rev. W. M. Elliott has reconsidered his acceptance of the pastorate of a Presbyterian church at El Paso and will remain with the Colorado church at an increase in salary.

W. H. Goodwin, an old citizen, died at his residence here. The funeral services were conducted at the Christian church by Rev. Mr. Hledsoe of Big Springs, Texas. The Masons took charge of the services at the cemetery. He had been a citizen of this town many years. He is survived by a wife, two sons and two daughters.

Miss Daisy Crump, sister of Mrs. W. M. Elliott, was married to W. B. Palmer of Merced, Cal., in the presence of a number of friends. Rev. W. M. Elliott performed the ceremony. The couple departed for California, where they will make their future home.

Dr. W. R. Lindley and family, of Westbrook, have moved to Colorado to give the children the benefit of the public school.

## LAS CRUCES AND MESILLA VALLEY

### CRUCES STATION TO HAVE A PARK

Ground at Santa Fe Station Is Being Prepared for Spring Planting.

Las Cruces, N. M., Oct. 11.—Next spring the grounds around the Santa Fe station in this city will be as pretty as any grounds on the line. Men are now at work making ready a small park to the north of the station building, in which will be planted palms, ornamental shrubs and flowers. The ground is being fertilized and worked, so that when the plants are put out next spring they will immediately begin to grow. No expense is being spared to make this small park as pretty as possible. Water for irrigation will be drawn from the large tank erected by the railroad a short time ago.

### THE TERRITORIAL JURY IS OCCUPIED AT LAS CRUCES.

Mounted Police Officer Investigating Box Car Robbery; Delegates Return from Firemen's Convention.

Las Cruces, N. M., Oct. 11.—The territorial grand jury returned one indictment yesterday afternoon, and is still busy at its labors, with enough work ahead to keep it busy several more days.

C. V. Hart and John Freeman, who have been at Albuquerque attending the annual meeting of the Firemen's association, of New Mexico, returned home Sunday evening.

Judge Tom Lea, of El Paso, was in the city yesterday on court business. Oscar L. Johnson, manager of the May Brothers store, is on the sick list.

A. J. Snowden, special agent of the Santa Fe, and who holds a commission under the mounted police service of New Mexico, was in Las Cruces yesterday on business connected with the breaking into a Santa Fe caboose at Rincon a few months ago.

C. O. Hoffman and wife have moved from the Armijo property to the Nevarez property.

Deputy U. S. marshal Smith returned to his home in Albuquerque last evening.

Work will start next week on the dismantling of the old Rio Grande hotel, which will be replaced by a modern stone building.

### AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE BOYS HAVE FIRST PRACTICE GAME.

Las Cruces, N. M., Oct. 11.—The football game which was played Saturday on the Agricultural college athletic grounds between two teams picked from the squad which has been practicing since the season opened, was very satisfactory, considering the fact that one team had all of the A-men on it. The score was 15 to 0, but all the boys were given a chance to try out. It is the opinion of those who witnessed the game that the college will have no trouble in selecting a good team from the material on the field.

### SOME LARGE PUMPKINS ARE EXHIBITED AT CRUCES.

Las Cruces, N. M., Oct. 11.—There are now on exhibition in this city three of the genuine old-fashioned down-east pumpkins, from the likes of which the grandmothers of the present generation were wont to make the pies for the Thanksgiving and Christmas dinners. These pumpkins are of the golden yellow variety, about 24 inches in diameter, and were grown on the Cox range in the Organ mountains, receiving their only irrigation from waste water which flowed from Gold camp.

### FALL FRUIT BEING SHIPPED FROM THE UPPER VALLEY.

Las Cruces, N. M., Oct. 11.—Considerable fall fruit is being shipped from Las Cruces this month, most of it going by local express to El Paso, Albuquerque and other Santa Fe points. Apples and peaches are the main crop now going on the market. Onions are still being shipped in large quantities.

### LAS CRUCES DAILY RECORD.

Las Cruces, N. M., Oct. 11.—The following deeds and other papers of record have been filed in the office of the probate clerk of Dona Ana county:

**Deeds Filed.**  
L. H. Vanderwerf, of El Paso, to Louis Ruenitz, of Pueblo, Col., warranty deed to lots 23 and 24 in block 84 of Miller's Washington Park addition to the town of Las Cruces. Consideration, \$1 and other valuable considerations.

T. M. Mer to L. S. Barton, of Decatur, Texas, warranty deed to lot 25 in block 8 of Miller's Washington Park addition to the town of Las Cruces. Consideration, \$1 and other valuable considerations.

J. T. Smith to Mrs. C. M. Maboe, of Albuquerque, warranty deed to lots 15

# FAIR DIRECTORY

## Increased Circulation

IN addition to its splendid circulation of over 12,000 daily, The Herald has made arrangements, through its network of out-of-town agents, to distribute extra copies. This is done both in the interests of Herald advertisers and to boost the Fair.

## Fair Edition Saturday

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### ROOSEVELT NOT FAVORITE HERE

Students of New Mexico A. & M. Do Not Want Him For President in 1912.

Agricultural College, N. M., Oct. 11. A well attended meeting of the Current Topics club was held and an interesting program was rendered. After the current topics for the past two weeks were given an informal debate was held. The question was: Resolved, That it would be for the best interest of the United States for Roosevelt to be elected president of the United States in 1912. The affirmative, Carl Williams and Earl Wilson; negative, Joseph Rigney and Arthur LaFarrere, were the debaters. The judges' decision went to the negative two to one, from the fact that the affirmative did not quote enough references to substantiate their arguments. The question was then thrown over to discussion among the members who, by a marked majority were negatively opposed to the question, and furthermore disliked Roosevelt's methods to gain political control.

Mayor A. L. Young, of Las Cruces, gave a talk on "What Should Be One's Ideal," quoting from Isaiah 3:3. The Alumni association, of which the immediate vicinity, will entertain the junior and senior classes of college on October 23.

Miss Rose Blanchard, of Water Canyon, N. M., has registered at college for another year's work.

The Y. M. C. A. bible study committee had a lengthy meeting for the purpose of getting plans whereby every male student in the college vicinity can attend a bible class on Sunday mornings.

Rev. J. H. Vaughan's new residence on the south college section, has had the heating plant just completed and is ready for occupancy.

### NEW DIRECTORS FOR THE NOGALES BOARD OF TRADE

Five Prisoners Are Sentenced to the Penitentiary; Banquet to Visitors Largely Attended.

Nogales, Ariz., Oct. 11.—The fourth annual meeting of the Nogales and Santa Cruz board of trade was held in the assembly room of the Santa Cruz club. The following were elected as a new board of directors: Joe Wise, A. Carpena, A. Mascarenas, S. F. Moon, J. A. Spink, W. C. Budge, F. J. Duffy, J. B. Bristol, G. H. Fiedler, A. S. Toon, H. J. Saxon, Phil Herold. After the business of the meeting was dispensed with a "smoker" was given.

The following persons received terms at the territorial prison at Florence from this county: Rafael Molina, three years, aggravated assault; Antonio Servantes, two years, burglary; Juan Contreras, one year, burglary; M. Sanchez, one year, burglary; C. Leon, two years, burglary. The grand jury made a final report and seven indictments were found.

Ramon Garly, auditor of the Mexican customs service in Nogales, Sonora, has been given a promotion at Matamoros, to which place he and his family have removed.

The board of supervisors has contracted with J. K. Wright to paint the

roof and dome of the court house.

Sam Lee, a Chinaman who has been in Nogales for some years, and who managed to resist deportation, was taken into custody again.

The court here granted Clarence Murray a divorce from Alice Margarite Murray.

In the divorce case of Charles Karnes, plaintiff, vs. Esta Gertrude Karnes, defendant, judgment was granted in favor of defendant.

Eliseo Parra pleaded guilty of burglary and received a sentence of two years.

Judge F. M. Doan adjourned district court here until today and went to Tombstone.

A special meeting of the Nogales fire department was called to consider the building of a new fire department house and a hall, court and office room for the city. After the business of the meeting, a smoker was had.

About 1287 tickets were sold at the Nogales station to the Fiesta de San Francisco at Magdalena, from September 27 to October 4, and 13 coaches numbered one excursion.

Some 500 head of cattle were shipped through this port this week from Mexico to this country.

Rev. W. A. Laughlin has arrived in Nogales to assume the pastorate of the Congregational church.

A carload of fine Jersey cows passed through Nogales en route to Sonora from Phoenix.

Sheriff H. J. Saxon carried six pris-

oners to the territorial prison at Florence this week from Santa Cruz county.

Harry Hannah, of the local customs office left for Phoenix and Pacific coast points to spend his vacation.

### PECOS BUSINESS MEN WANT ROOSEVELT TO VISIT THERE

Wire Him to Stop at Pecos on Southern Trip; Baptists to Meet at Barstow; School Enrollment.

Pecos, Texas, Oct. 11.—The Pecos Commercial club sent the following telegram to Col. Roosevelt, at Sagamore Hill, New York: "The city council, citizenship of this town, and general public interests of the Pecos valley extend to you a sincere invitation to visit Pecos on your contemplated southwestern trip. We want to show how they entertain in the Pecos valley. Please let us know if we can have the visit from you.—Pecos Commercial club."

The fifth Sunday meeting of the Pecos Valley Baptists will be held at Barstow, Oct. 23, 29 and 30 next. This meeting will be attended by the leading Baptists of this section. The Women's Auxiliary to the association will also hold a meeting at the same time.

The first month of the Pecos school term closed October 3, with 265 students present. By the first of the year superintendent J. S. Long expects to see the enrollment reach above 400. Talking into consideration the number of pupils attending private schools here, the attendance at city schools of all kinds, private and public, will reach

500, probably, by Jan. 1 next. The school situation here is now hampered by lack of adequate school buildings, though every thing possible has been done by the school board to overcome this condition. The new high school building, which is to be put up here this winter, will greatly relieve the situation and bring a considerable number of new pupils into the public schools.

### FORT DAVIS DELEGATES GO TO LODGE MEETINGS.

Frost Experienced at Davis—Ice in the Mountains—Election Teacher Leaves—Personal.

Fort Davis, Texas, Oct. 11.—W. Kelsey left for Abilene, Texas, to attend the grand encampment of the I. O. O. F. lodge.

Fort Davis was visited by a frost and ice is reported on some of the mountain ranches.

Mrs. Robert Sproul left for Austin, Texas, as a delegate to the Eastern Star lodge.

Wiley Moore of Marfa has been out on the Lock ranch near Fort Davis, buying cattle.

The framework for the concrete walls for the new jail is being erected.

Miss Gordon of San Angelo, Texas, who had a class in elocution, had to give it up on account of the altitude being too high for her, and returned home.



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